



## READ Quest! Mystery for 3rd & 4th Grades

Adler, David	<b><i>Cam Jansen and the Catnapping Mystery*</i></b> Ten-year-old Cam uses her amazing eye for detail and photographic memory to catch a thief at an elegant hotel. 58 p.
Avi	<b><i>Murder at Midnight *</i></b> In Renaissance Italy, Mangus the magician and his servant boy Fabrizio face death unless they can find the real traitor to the King by the stroke of midnight. 254 p.
Balliett, Blue	<b><i>Chasing Vermeer*</i></b> 11-year-olds Petra and Calder solve a mystery surrounding an international art scandal. Crack the codes in the text and find clues in the illustrations! 254 p.
Barnet, Mac	<b><i>Case of the Case of Mistaken Identity*</i></b> Trouble ensues when 12-year-old Steve Brixton, a fan of Bailey Brothers mystery novels, is taken for a real detective. <i>Bailey Brothers</i> . 179 p.
Berlin, Eric	<b><i>The Puzzling World of Winston Breen*</i></b> Puzzle-crazy Winston and his sister Katie become involved in a dangerous mystery. Includes lots of puzzles to solve! 215 p.
Brezenoff, Steven	<b><i>The Crook Who Crossed the Golden Gate Bridge*</i></b> Friends on a field trip to San Francisco trail a thief as they visit the Golden Gate Bridge, Chinatown and Alcatraz. <i>Field Trip Mysteries</i> . 79 p.
Buckey, Sarah	<b><i>Clue in the Castle Tower: a Samantha Mystery*</i></b> Visiting an old castle in England, Samantha and Nellie glimpse strange sights in the castle tower at night. <i>American Girl Mysteries</i> . 172 p.
Butler, Dori	<b><i>Case of the Lost Boy*</i></b> Buddy, an exuberant dog detective, tells of the cases he solves in his own humorous and good-hearted way. <i>Buddy Files</i> . 123 p.
Clements, Andrew	<b><i>We the Children*</i></b> 6th graders Ben and Jill dig for answers to save their beloved seaside school, under strange circumstances. <i>Benjamin Pratt and the Keepers of the School</i> . 142 p.
Cronin, Doreen	<b><i>The Trouble with Chickens*</i></b> Retired search-and-rescue dog J.J. Tully reluctantly helps find missing chicks. A funny whodunit that will keep readers guessing! <i>J.J. Tully Mystery</i> . 119 p.
Dixon, Franklin	<b><i>Extreme Danger*</i></b> Frank and Joe Hardy, teen crime-solvers, act to prevent an attack on an extreme sports contest. <i>Hardy Boys, Undercover Brothers</i> . 165 p.
Dixon, Franklin	<b><i>Trouble at the Arcade*</i></b> The Hardy brothers: Frank, 9, and Joe, 8, discover trouble at the arcade and learn they're pretty good detectives--just like their dad! <i>Hardy Boys, Secret Files</i> . 87 p.
Hale, Bruce	<b><i>Murder, My Tweet*</i></b> 4th grade gecko, Chet, plunges into another hilarious case when Natalie, his mockingbird pal, is charged with a crime. <i>A Chet Gecko Mystery</i> . 136 p.
Howe, Deborah	<b><i>Bunnacula: a Rabbit Tale of Mystery*</i></b> Though scoffed at by Harold the dog, Chester the cat tries to warn his human family that their baby bunny must be a vampire. 98 p.
Keene, Carolyn	<b><i>Secret of the Old Clock*</i></b> Intelligent and daring, 16-year-old Nancy Drew searches for an antique clock which may expose a counterfeit will. The much-loved original <i>Nancy Drew</i> series. 180 p.
Keene, Carolyn	<b><i>Sleepover Sleuths*</i></b> When a doll disappears at a sleepover, 8-year-old detective Nancy is on the case! <i>Nancy Drew and the Clue Crew</i> . 96 p.

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Landon, Lucinda	<b><i>Meg Mackintosh and the Mystery of the Medieval Castle*</i></b> The reader is challenged to solve the mystery before Meg, using clues found in the text and illustrations. Lots of fun! 52 p.
McCall Smith, A.	<b><i>The Great Cake Mystery: Precious Ramotswe's Very First Case</i></b> Before she became the first female detective in Botswana, 8-year-old Precious solved the case of the missing snacks. 73 p.
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Montgomery, Lewis	<b><i>Case of the Stinky Socks*</i></b> Detectives-in-training Milo and Jazz work together on their first case -- discovering who stole the star pitcher's lucky socks. <i>Milo &amp; Jazz Mysteries</i> . 94 p.
O'Connor, Jane	<b><i>Nancy Clancy, Super Sleuth*</i></b> Nancy loves fancy words and is an avid Nancy Drew fan. She and best friend Bree have a new Sleuth Headquarters and are eager to solve their first case! 124 p.
Preller, James	<b><i>Case of Hermie the Missing Hamster*</i></b> Clever, puzzle-crazy Jigsaw uses his Top Secret Detective Journal and the help of his ace partner, Mila, to solve mysteries. <i>Jigsaw Jones</i> . 76 p.
Raskin, Ellen	<b><i>The Westing Game</i></b> When an eccentric millionaire dies mysteriously, sixteen unlikely people gather for the reading of the will . . . and what a will it is! Newbery winner. 185 p.
Roy, Roy	<b><i>The Absent Author*</i></b> Dink, Ruth Rose and Josh investigate when their favorite author mysteriously disappears -- but could it be too late? <i>A to Z Mysteries</i> . 86 p.
Sobol, Donald	<b><i>Encyclopedia Brown: Boy Detective*</i></b> Ten brief cases allow the reader to match wits with the legendary crime-buster. Solutions are included at the back of the book. 90 p.
Skurzynski, Gloria	<b><i>Cliff-hanger*</i></b> Jack and Ashley deal with a cougar on the prowl and a family mystery during their trip to Mesa Verde National Park. <i>National Parks Mystery</i> . 147 p.
Stanley, George	<b><i>Clue of the Left-Handed Envelope*</i></b> Amber Lee receives a secret-admirer letter and the class must code break to unmask the writer. <i>Third-Grade Detectives</i> . 62 p.
Thirty Nine	<b><i>Maze of Bones*</i></b> Amy and Dan embark on a dangerous quest to uncover the 39 clues which will reveal the secrets of their lineage. This title by Rick Riordan. <i>The 39 Clues</i> . 220 p.
Trixie	<b><i>Red Trailer Mystery*</i></b> While traveling by trailer in upstate New York, teens Trixie Belden and her friend Honey investigate mysterious trailer thefts. <i>Trixie Belden</i> . 262 p.
Van Drannen, W.	<b><i>Sammy Keyes and the Hotel Thief*</i></b> Sammy is a quick-witted, plucky young sleuth who gets into trouble with her grandmother's binoculars. Many more in this popular series. 192 p.
Warner, Gertrude C.	<b><i>The Boxcar Children*</i></b> The four resourceful Aldens begin their adventures by making a home in a boxcar, and finding their long-lost grandfather. <i>Boxcar Children Mysteries</i> . 160 p.
Winterfeld, Henry	<b><i>Detectives in Togas*</i></b> To save a boy wrongly accused, a group of young friends in ancient Rome search for the culprit who scrawled graffiti on the temple wall. Fun, historical. 205 p.

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